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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Re the Application of:

SUZUKI et al

Serial No.: 09/857,125

Filed: June 1, 2001

For: HYBRID VEHICLE DRIVING DEVICE

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 9, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the office action of January 9, 2003, please amend the captioned application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please substitute the attached "Substitute Specification and Abstract" for the originally filed specification and abstract.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 20-38 and substitute therefor the following new claims:

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02 FC:1201 252.00 OP